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SATURDAY, NOV. 20, 1875.

NEWS OF THE MORNING.

The rainfall continues and trains and stages are delayed. Our dispatches show that the Washington Chronicle, the President's organ, announces him a candidate for re-election. Rain continued to fall at intervals in this city yesterday and last night. The steamer Monterey, on her way to Santa Monica with ties for the Los Angeles and Independence Railroad, encountered rough weather and part of her cargo was swept overboard. Dispatches report that yesterday noon the Merced river had risen 32 feet. On the 18th the river at Sacramento had risen 25 feet above low water mark. A new system of Geography will have to be devised. A California boy has discovered that the earth is divided by earthquakes.

The San Francisco journals note the coming of a dangerous class into that city. The Legislature will convene in a couple of weeks.

SIMULTANEOUSLY with the report that there are 1400 empty houses in Toronto, comes the announcement that the snow is one foot deep in that city. It is comforting to know that no one need sleep out in that foot of snow.

THE Supervisors of Inyo county have "resolved" that in future the Court House shall not be used by traveling shows or religious gatherings. The temple is to be held sacred to political meetings and legal proceedings. SAN Diego surpasses Los Angeles in one essential particular. She has a Young Men's Christian Association. These societies are good things. Every town of considerable size ought to have one. Hundreds of letters that have been dropped into the Postoffice with short stanzas would never have reached the persons to whom they were directed but for the young men's Christian Association.

IN the North the flood-gates of heaven seem to have been more widely opened than with us. The clouds poured their garnered treasures down in chunks, platons, broadsides and floods and washes are reported in many localities. There are rumors that the railroads East of the Sierra Nevada have suffered severely and trains are delayed. From the San Joaquin Valley we have accounts of a heavy overflow. The Merced river has flooded the country for miles doing considerable damage to the railroads. About three miles North of the town of Merced the water basins to within a foot of the top of the telegraph poles.

Investigation Ordered.

The cause of the recent collision, which occurred off Cape Flattery between the steamer Pacific and the ship Ophelia, by which both vessels were lost and nearly three hundred human lives sacrificed, is to be sought for. There are several circumstances connected with this terrible disaster that need explanation. A steamer with perfect machinery and steam up ought to be under complete control and with the lookout which we all know is maintained on the Coast steamers, it is difficult to understand how such a vessel could collide on a night which we are assured was neither foggy nor dark with a ship that was obeying the laws of navigation. If, as the captain of the Ophelia states, his ship was struck by the Pacific, it will devolve upon him, if he would exonerate himself from blame, to show that he was carrying the requisite number of lights located in the proper places on his vessel. These things must be proven before a suspicion of carelessness on the part of the officers of the Pacific can be entertained. We trust the matter will be probed to the bottom in the investigation which the appended letter shows has called for.

OFFICE OF U. S. SUPERVISING INSPECTOR STEAM VESSELS, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., NOV. 19, 1875. Messrs. Wm. A. Giorgiani and Wm. Jacobs, the latter one of the firm of A. Lusk & Co., both well known fruit firms of San Francisco, have made contracts for about three-quarters of the orange crop of this county. Last year over 7,000,000 oranges were shipped from Los Angeles, but this year the oranges for export are estimated at 4,000,000. These two enterprising firms have contracted for all the oranges at Sunny Slope Vineyard (R. sees) Lake Vineyard (Wilson's), San Morana Vineyard (Short's), Wolfkill's orchard, and many of smaller size. The aggregate value of these contracts will be over one hundred thousand dollars, and these firms have already advanced considerable sums on the prospective crop. They report the crop of the Mission orchards as good yield, but in other groves the crop is light. Though the number of oranges is less than last year, the quality will be far superior in size and flavor to those of last year. Messrs. Giorgiani and Jacobs have left standing offer of twenty dollars per thousand for all oranges delivered at the depot.

The Game Made.

For months past the HERALD has maintained that GRANT intended to remain in the Presidential chair another term, and for life if it were possible for him to do so. The idea was ridiculed by Republican organs and doubted by Democratic journals. The fact that the President never would say positively that he was not a candidate for re-election was sufficient to raise the suspicion that he was a candidate. When pushed to the wall he said there might arise contingencies which would render the election of a President to the third term necessary. It was apparent to all observing men that he would leave no means untried to create those contingencies,

and he commenced to express opinions claimed as his own, but undoubtedly prepared for him by those shrewd manipulators who are making the game for him, on public issues, we began to learn something of the material out of which those contingencies were to be shaped. The announcement that the Cubans would be recognized as belligerents was contingency number one. This would prove the opening wedge to a war with Spain, and thus a large contingency would be presented. The Des Moines speech, in which a sectarian war on the school fund question was promised, showed where another contingency was to come from. The currency issue is still another contingency. These three are already prepared and ready for use, and others will be manufactured as the material can be found. Everything being prepared the Chronicle, the Washington organ of the President, opens the ball with the announcement that he will stand in for the third term, and that the Republican party will be compelled to take him as its choice. The cloak is dropped and the President of the United States assumes the role of dictator.

A Mistake.

EDITOR HERALD: In the third column of the inside page of the present issue of the New Italy we have this paragraph:

The production of semi-tropical fruits is destined to become a staple business in Southern California. Already 5,000 oranges are put on the market in a single year from Los Angeles county, and the production has but just commenced.

One would not knowing the true facts think that our orange culture had just commenced. Of course the editor meant 5,000,000, and if he had so stated we do not hesitate to say he would have underestimated the number by about two million, although we have short crops this year. The sole object of this communication is to call the attention of our city and county Press, and also the New Italy to correct the mistake. It is evidently a mistake, but thousands abroad would not know the difference, especially when comparing it with the very many statements already sent broadcast, and the full facts in the premises. Very truly,

Wm. McPHERSON.

Los Angeles, November 19th.

Yesterday's Runaway.

The dull, heavy tones of the town chronometer had just announced 12 o'clock, and the foundries and machine shops were likewise telling the same tale to hungry workmen by means of their shrill whistles, when a four-horse team took it into their heads to try their speed down Main street. On they rushed, the mud flying high, amid the din of a thousand different noises. Their course was shaped straight for Temple Block, and they undoubtedly intended "a run" on the bank. That institution, being so close to the street, would have prevented any such catastrophe had they not been checked in their mad career before reaching the sidewalk. One of the lead horses slipped up and then sat down on the end of the tongue. The wheels carried him a short distance, when he keeled over, and in his floundering threw down his mate, and in a short time they were about as badly a mixed team as the most fastidious pleasure-seeker could desire to see. The boys jumped and laughed at what they termed the fun. Several good-hearted citizens gallantly waded out into the knee deep mud and seized the fallen steeds. After a deal of pulling, and tugging, and hard swearing, those few praise-worthy friends of humanity, through and with some valuable advice from several hundred loungers who immediately gathered to the rescue but were careful to stay on the sidewalk, succeeded in disentangling the unfortunate animals and sent their driver on his way rejoicing in escaping with not a life serious injury than some broken straps, a few scratches about his horses' legs, and an abundance of nice Los Angeles mud. If the affair had been terminated by a respectable dog fight we would have been able to extend this article to a much greater length.

The Orange Crop.

Messrs. A. Giorgiani and Wm. Jacobs, the latter one of the firm of A. Lusk & Co., both well known fruit firms of San Francisco, have made contracts for about three-quarters of the orange crop of this county. Last year over 7,000,000 oranges were shipped from Los Angeles, but this year the oranges for export are estimated at 4,000,000. These two enterprising firms have contracted for all the oranges at Sunny Slope Vineyard (R. sees) Lake Vineyard (Wilson's), San Morana Vineyard (Short's), Wolfkill's orchard, and many of smaller size. The aggregate value of these contracts will be over one hundred thousand dollars, and these firms have already advanced considerable sums on the prospective crop. They report the crop of the Mission orchards as good yield, but in other groves the crop is light. Though the number of oranges is less than last year, the quality will be far superior in size and flavor to those of last year. Messrs. Giorgiani and Jacobs have left standing offer of twenty dollars per thousand for all oranges delivered at the depot.

Anaheim Items.

Parties from Capistrano report the grass as being thin and plenty in that section and upon the San Joaquin ranch. Mr. Howe from Westminster reports everything flourishing in the colony and every prospect of a bountiful season. The Cajon water ditch has been benefited rather than injured by the rains. The mesa land has received moisture enough to render the completion of the ditch, over that portion, an easy matter. We had a conversation yesterday with a gentleman interested in the cultivation of tobacco. He says there is no reason why this section should not produce tobacco equal to the finest Havana and intends this season to give the thing a trial.

THE THIRD TERM.

The President's Organ Announces that the Republicans Must Accept Him.

WASHINGTON, November 18th.—The Chronicle, the administrative organ of Grant for the third term, and says the Republican party will be compelled to take him as its choice. It then rings out a loud wail over the fact that the old rebels are coming into power in Congress, and that the life of the Republic is therefore endangered, and that Grant is the only man who can save it. It says there is no escape from this view of the question of electing a President, and the masses of the Republican party, no longer afflicted with the absurd cry of Caesarism, are now looking to Grant as confidently as they ever regarded him. The school question and anti-Catholicism are to be dwelt on in the annual message, under the tutelage of Morrison. The Chronicle is really based upon a matured plan, prepared by the President and his intimates. Since the late Fall elections the prospect of a third term is admitted by dozens where there was one before the election.

Col. Mosby, the original third term man, is at the head of the organization in the South formed for the secret purpose of advocating the President's re-election. There is also a social society forming in the country, known as the anti-Catholic organization, which is pledged to the President. Secret circulars are sent to many men throughout the country, asking them to co-operate.

CHICAGO, Nov. 18th.—A Washington special says that the third term movement is developing rapidly in official circles. Many leading Republicans say that Grant is the only man who can save the party, and unless it is saved, ruin is bound to stalk through the land.

The Particulars of the Chavez Raid.

[From the San Bernardino Times, 18th.]

To Mr. Mowray we are indebted for fuller particulars of the Chavez robbery, to which we alluded in our last issue.

Mr. Mowray is running an express wagon between this place and Panamint, carrying freight and passengers. It appears from what Chavez said that a rumor had reached him that there was one passenger on his trip who had \$15,000 in his possession, and it was with the design of getting this booty that he made the attack on Willow Springs station. It was on Friday, the 5th inst., that Chavez, with his gang, took the station, and they were the keeper, Mr. Riley, and laid in wait for the coming of Mowray. Mr. M. was delayed from some cause and did not make his usual time, and Chavez's gang kept possession of the station until Monday. In the meantime Mr. Mowray came along with a four-horse team, and they forced him to lay over, to prevent intelligence reaching Mr. Mowray. Two foot travelers and an Indian also came along and were forced to lay over. From one of the foot travelers they took \$60 and returned him \$20, and from the Indian they found \$15 leaving him nothing. On Monday they left the station, taking Mr. Mowray's horse, and shortly after Mr. M. saw about ten miles south of the station, when they were clearing a road and throw up his hands. He asked them what they wanted and they told him his money. They then told him to get down from the wagon and went through him taking from his person \$125. Mr. Mowray said it was rough on a man to be robbed by a crew of thieves, but he said he would not say a word about it. Chavez replied that he was only borrowing and would return it when he got flush. He returned him then \$75 with the remark: "I guess I will have to take your team." Mr. M. said "don't take my horse, boys. They're so poor they'll do you good." Chavez looked at the horses and said that was so and rode off in the direction of Ivanpah. When Mr. Mowray passed Willow Spring station he found it abandoned. Chavez is reported as having been very careful to Mrs. Riley, paying her for looking after his gang and treating her with great consideration.

Santa Monica Items.

[From the Outlook Nov. 17th.]

Work is progressing on the new depot, and it will be completed in a few days. The U. S. Coast survey steamer Haesler is now anchored off the wharf and the officers are making a careful survey of Santa Monica bay. So far, we have heard of no new developments.

A five-acre lot on the Eastern side of the railroad has been set apart for a cemetery. It seems to us that some movement ought to be organized at once by the citizens to have the ground laid off and beautified.

The schooner Uncle Sam arrived at the wharf last Saturday morning and discharged 6,000 ties in less than twenty hours. This is good work, and is a great improvement on the "old style."

The Mohono took 350 head of sheep from the Santa Monica wharf yesterday. An incline has been constructed to facilitate the shipment of small stock, and its use on this occasion proves that it fully subserves the purpose for which it is intended. It required about fifteen minutes to transport these sheep from the wharf to the vessel.

We notice a large disproportion in the number of passengers arriving and departing on the steamers. They come into this valley by hundreds and leave by thirties. This shows that about three thirds will spend the winter, at least, and we think we may safely say that a majority of them are seeking homes, and will remain as permanent residents.

On Wednesday evening last the Native Wine Dealers' Association held a meeting in San Francisco for the purpose of taking the necessary steps to memorialize Congress to alter the revenue laws so far as they relate to the distillation of grape brandy so as to permit, first, the placing of distilled brandies in Government bonded warehouses until sold or for a term of at least two years without being called upon for the taxes; second, permitting grape brandy distillers to export grape brandy in bond and in quantities as small as that permitted to exporters of foreign brandy—that is per single package of 22 gallons; third, permitting the manufacturers of sweet and branded wines to use the necessary amount of grape spirit without tax.

Mrs. Fred Morris attempted to jump out of the third story of the International hotel, San Francisco, on Thursday night. She was taken to the station house.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

Simonton has entered a new complaint against the Alta, laying his damages at \$100,000.

Thirty Chinese students arrived in San Francisco on Thursday. They are to receive an education in Eastern colleges.

On Thursday six policemen were discharged by the San Francisco Police Commissioners for interfering in elections.

The Telegraph Stage left Caliente yesterday with mail and express matter and six passengers for Los Angeles.

Yesterday opened clear and clear in San Francisco.

Mrs. Joseph W. Stow, of San Francisco, filed a petition in the Probate Court for the removal of Maurice Dore and Wm. Isaacs from the executorship of the estate of her deceased husband. She says Isaacs has appropriated a portion of the estate for his own use, and was aided by Maurice Dore. The most important part of the petition is that Mrs. Stow says the executor allowed Ralston a large sum of money, when, in fact, Ralston was indebted to Stow at the time of the latter's death, under a partnership arrangement.

James R. King has commenced suit against the Woodville Mining Company to recover \$24,000 damages.

A Board of Centennial Managers has been organized for this State and Commissioned by the Centennial Commission at Philadelphia, as follows: San Francisco—J. D. Kneigh, Commissioner and President of the Board; Jacob Deeth, W. F. Whittier, T. J. L. Smiley, A. N. Towne, of the Central Pacific Railroad; John F. Snow, B. B. Redding, J. P. H. Wentworth, W. K. Vandervelde, J. G. Gardner, A. P. Campbell, J. M. Smith, Ira P. Rankin, H. H. Bigelow, Wallace Emerson. Interior—B. P. Kooser, Alternate Commissioner, Santa Cruz; Gov. J. G. Downey, Los Angeles; Dr. J. L. Ord, Santa Barbara; Major Jacob R. Snyder, Sonoma; Drury Melrose, Wm. H. Miller, Sacramento; Jacob R. Neff, Colfax; P. W. Sergeant, Monterey; J. L. Hebron, Santa Clara; R. K. Porter, San Diego; Joseph Aram, Natividad; Gen. J. B. Frisbie, Vallejo; Austin Sperry, Stockton; Charles H. Gorman, Marengo. The object of the Board will be to aid and to encourage the people of California in placing before the visitors at the Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia in 1876 the result of the labor of the husbandman, the skill of the artisan, the work of the craftsman who may fitly represent their branch of industry. To that end they will prepare and present to the next Legislature a petition asking for a liberal appropriation for the above purpose, and they would most respectfully ask those who can furnish anything that will show to the nations of the earth next year the wonderful progress California has made in twenty-five years as an agricultural, mining and manufacturing State, to prepare the same and make immediate application for space in order that the desire and intention of the people may be laid before their representatives at Sacramento in December next.

Secretary Chandler claims that he discharged the Patent Office clerks for cause and not for political considerations.

A New York dispatch of yesterday says the Staten Island steamer D. R. Martin lost on her down trip yesterday. The fire was caused by overheated machinery. The pilot ran ashore on the flats, and the passengers and hands were removed in small boats. Two men were badly scalded. Yesterday morning a collision occurred on the Pittsburg, Cincinnati & St. Louis railroad between a construction train and an Eastern bound freight train, four miles East of Denison, Ohio. Three employees were killed and others seriously injured. The accident was caused by the engineer of the freight train disregarding signals.

San Bernardino Items.

[From the Argus, Nov. 18th.]

Our town is run over with Chinamen, and yet it is hard to get one to do work. They are all too busy to live in a mystery to us, but live they do, and grow fat. We have already three wash houses, and we understand another one will shortly be established. Go it John, the American people are a careless race.

The Artesian well at Colton has been stopped and sunk. It was not having the proper tools for sinking through boulders, and they were unable to get the pipe down. They had reached a depth of about 200 feet, and had struck a stream which raised the water in the pipe about 25 feet. As soon as the necessary tools can be procured the well will be again sunk.

Mr. J. C. Riley who lives just out North of town was the gentleman cleaned out by the Chavez party. We deeply sympathize with Mr. Riley, as he is one of our best citizens, and since his removal to this lower country has lost a series of reverses. He came into San Diego county about eight years ago, with some four or five thousand dollars, and was fortunate enough to settle on a Spanish grant, and after struggling with the weather, Spanish grants, and sickness, he has left almost destitute. He has been here since he arrived in this country. While here, by hard work he managed to get him a little place, and a good home. He sold this and removed out on the Panamint road, and now a band of outlaws have come and reduced him to poverty again.

Hints to Newspaper Carriers.

"You see," said one in San Francisco, "I don't take a back seat to no man in this town in landin' a paper just where it is wanted. Up on Stockton street there is a little French woman who hangs a parrot out in a cage from her window every afternoon, and when I sling the paper up it falls on the ledge above the cage, and the parrot grabs it with his beak. She can't read a word of English but she takes the paper because she likes to see me flog it around so lively. I never missed but once, and that was one foggy day last winter, when I suppose I didn't make proper calculation for the condition of the atmosphere." "Pshaw! That ain't nowhere chimed in another. I've been serving a morning paper all along to a man who's never left his bed for seven years. Got the rheumatism. There's a hole busted in one of the windows about two inches wide and it's two stories high. I shoot it up through that slit at twenty minutes past five every morning, and it strikes him in the face and wakes him up. On these dark mornin's, when there's a high wind it takes some mighty lively calculation to hit the place just right. One mornin' I found the hole in the bed, and didn't wake him, so he stopped the paper next day."

THAT LIBEL SUIT.

Fitzgerald Lets the "Chronicle" off and Goes after C. A. Klose.

SAN FRANCISCO, November 19th.—The libel case of the Rev. O. P. Fitzgerald against C. and M. H. De Young came up in the Police Court to-day.

Fitzgerald and his counsel, Judge Quint, were both in attendance. Judge Quint, however, said since the filing of this complaint his client had ascertained that the responsibility of the alleged libel did not rest with the De Youngs but with C. A. Klose, who had openly acknowledged himself the promulgator of the injurious reports published. His client, therefore, did not desire to proceed further against the De Youngs. The prosecution would probably be transferred to Mr. Klose. A motion to dismiss the complaint was acceded to. Mr. Fitzgerald publishes a card as follows:

"C. A. Klose having made himself responsible for the charge against me, the papers in a suit against him have this day been prepared, and proceedings will be pushed as rapidly as forms of law will permit."

Weather Report.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 18th.—Total rainfall 5.21 inches. River 21 feet above low water mark. Not raining to-day.

STOCKTON, Nov. 18th.—Still raining. Total rainfall for the season 4.82 inches.

MOCKELMUNE HILLS, Nov. 18th.—Rained all last night. Still storming. Rivers rising rapidly.

COLUSA, Nov. 18th.—But little rain has fallen here. The wind is blowing a gale, doing much damage. The river is 18 feet above low water mark.

BANTAS, Nov. 18th.—Rained all day yesterday and still raining hard.

PIGEON POINT, Nov. 18th.—Raining steadily since Tuesday morning. Over two and a half inches have fallen.

GILROY, Nov. 18th.—Raining hard for the last twenty-four hours. Two and a quarter inches have fallen. The railroad track between here and Watsonville is washed out.

TRUCKEE, Nov. 19th.—Rained all last night. Total fall for the season four inches.

MODESTO, November 19th.—Since Saturday evening 4.78-100 inches of rain have fallen here.

CALIENTE, November 19th.—Raining. The train due yesterday morning arrived last evening; no train since. The stage for Los Angeles left six hours behind time with six passengers.

MERCED, November 19th.—The rainfall has been very heavy here. The river has risen 32 feet and the water is within two feet of the tops of the telegraph poles.

WILMINGTON, November 19th.—Rained all day, off and on. No signs of clearing up.

SAN BERNARDINO, November 19th.—Still raining, but some signs of clearing up.

COLTON, November 19th.—3 P. M.—Raining, with a prospect of continuance.

The Fair Next Week.

Hundreds of strangers from the interior and adjoining counties are making preparations to visit Dr. Aborn next week, and while in the city of Los Angeles most of them will doubtless spend a few hours at the Fair Grounds, so that their visits will not only be beneficial by seeing Dr. Aborn, but enjoyable and instructive by witnessing one of the best fairs ever held in Los Angeles county.—Express.

NEW TO-DAY.

LUMBER! LUMBER!

THE WILMINGTON MANUFACTURING COMPANY.

Have received a consignment of Redwood Lumber suitable for house building purposes, consisting chiefly of

Inch Boards and Scantling

Which they are prepared to furnish at Wilmington, at reduced prices. Also, a lot of

ORANGE BOXES.

Wilmington Manufacturing Company.

CHANCE OF SCHEDULE.

ON AND AFTER

Tuesday, November 16th, 1875,

The following trains will be omitted on the Southern Pacific Railway:

4:30 A. M. from San Fernando to Los Angeles.

6:30 A. M. from Los Angeles to Anaheim.

6:30 P. M. from Anaheim to Los Angeles.

8:30 P. M. from Los Angeles to San Fernando.

E. R. HEWITT, Superintendent.

CAUTION.

To all parties found manufacturing or using any portion of the Union Gas Co.'s patents without the written consent of the Company, is hereby notified that suit will be brought for damages and for infringement of patents.

UNION GAS COMPANY, San Francisco, Nov. 11th 1875.

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AND

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Fair rates and prompt settlement of losses.

Notice to Gas Consumers.

ON and after SATURDAY, Nov. 27th, the price of Gas will be \$7.00 per thousand feet. To consumers of more than one thousand feet of Gas per week a discount of five per cent will be made. Per order.

J. M. ELLIOTT, Sec. L. A. Gas Co.

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C. DUCOMMUN,

No. 54 MAIN STREET.

DEALER IN

HARDWARE.

MECHANICS' TOOLS

of every variety, and

ASSAYERS' OUTFIT.

Fancy Goods and Stationery.

A Large Assortment of

Spectacles and Glasses.

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Also a Large Assortment of

Paints, Oils & Brushes.

ON HAND

FIVE HUNDRED GALLONS

of Pure Boiled Oil in cans

at \$1 per Gallon.

For Sale—A Splendid Stock of Jewelry for Cash at Cost.

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LITTLEFIELD & WILLIAMS,

Agents for Los Angeles and Santa Monica.

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Insurance Company of North America

of Philadelphia. Incorporated 1794.

Capital and Assets, - \$4,700,000

American Fire Insurance Company,

of Philadelphia. Incorporated 1810.

Capital and Assets, - \$1,000,000

Niagara Fire Insurance Co., of N. Y.

Capital and Assets, - \$1,400,000

Continental Fire Insurance Company,

of New York. Incorporated 1852.

Capital and Assets, - \$2,600,000

German American Insurance Co.,

of New York.

Capital and Assets, - \$1,550,000

Royal Insurance Company, of London.

Capital and Assets, - \$17,000,000

J. C. LITTLEFIELD,

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WM. H. WILLIAMS,

Post Office, Santa Monica.

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Notwithstanding the Money Panic

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Collections promptly made in all parts of California, Nevada, Arizona, Montana and New Mexico. Best prices paid for collections by leaving your accounts for collection with Messrs. Keane, Betts & Co., of the Mercantile Collection Agency, 105 Main Street, Los Angeles. All monies paid over upon receipt of same.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PIANOS & ORGANS.

Preliminary Announcement.

Messrs. JONES & NOYES

Begin to inform the public that they have just received an invoice of

Advertisements will be inserted in this Department at Five Cents per line.

WANTS-LOST-FOUND.

WANTED.—A good house-keeper who understands cooking, butter making, and all the details. Address: W. nov19 1w

WANTED TO HIRE.—Range for 3,500 head of sheep for the ensuing season. Inquire of: CHARLES J. ELLIS, 3 Downey Block, nov19 1w

AN energetic young man would like to invest \$500 and service a good business in town or country. Address: RICHIE, U. S. Hotel, nov19 1w

WANTED.—A few respectable day-laborers at second house from First St. on West side of Port St. Terms moderate. nov12 1mo MRS. M. HEAVER

WANTED.—The advertiser wishes to rent a dairy, or take one on shares. The best references given. Address: LOUIS MATAS, nov11 1w Herald Office.

SITUATION WANTED.—A woman wishes a situation as seamstress (with machine) or nurse. Apply: nov11 1w

WANTED.—250 tons of Grapes at BARBER & GATES, nov5 1w Over Commercial Bank.

TO LET.—A few pleasant rooms, with board, corner Fort and Franklin streets. Inquire at 78 Main St., room 10, nov11 1w

ROOMS.—FAMILY and Single Rooms with board at Col. Peels on Spring St. nov11 1w

FOR SALE—FOR RENT.

TILLABLE LANDS TO LEASE.—In and near this city, on shares or otherwise. Apply to: GLASSSELL, CHAPMAN & SMITH, nov10 1w

TO BOARDERS.—Rooms and Board—directly opposite the White House, in this city. nov20 2w

MONEY TO LOAN.—\$5,000 to loan on real estate security. Apply to: BRUNK & MITCHELL, nov18 1w Commercial Bank, rooms 6 & 7.

TO LET.—Furnished Rooms (single) with board, within ten minutes walk of the Court House. Address: nov10 1w

FOR SALE.—At a very low price a farm of 50 acres at Downey City, all under cultivation, except 10 acres of alfalfa. The improvements consist of three houses, with a young orchard, and an artesian well. Two horses water right with the land. Apply to: BRUNK & MITCHELL, nov18 1w Room 6 Commercial Bank.

FURNISHED ROOMS AND BOARD.—Suits and single rooms with board at the Kimball Mansion, New High street. The house is pleasantly situated and all the modern improvements. nov11 1w

FOR SALE OR RENT.—Persons desiring of purchasing or renting first class room or building in the vicinity of the Court House, will do well to address: nov11 1w

FOR SALE.—A Private Residence conveniently located, half a mile, hard finished, containing four rooms and a hall. For terms etc., apply at Alliso Market, Alliso St. nov11 1w

FURNISHED ROOM.—With or without board on Olive street, between 10th and 11th streets, two minutes walk to the Main street cars. nov11 1w

FOR CHOICE ORANGE LANDS at San Gabriel, apply to: P. E. ECKENBRIGHT, San Gabriel Mission. nov11 1w

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A large number of third growing Live Trees, in good condition. Apply to: J. C. WALLACE, San Gabriel, nov11 1w

A Rare Chance!

FOR SALE.—A GOOD PAYING BUSINESS, the present proprietor wishes to sell out on account of ill health. The opportunity for a man with about \$500. For particulars apply at this office. nov11 1w

For Sale—A Great Bargain.

A well furnished house and lot situated in the best location in this city. Spring Street cars pass the door. For particulars, apply at this office, or address: P. O. Box 385, Los Angeles. nov11 1w

For Sale.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 29th, 1875.

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SATURDAY, NOV. 20, 1875.

GOLD REPORT.

SAN FRANCISCO Nov. 19, 1875.
Greenbacks—Buying, 86; selling, 87.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The track of the L. A. & T. R. R. at San Pedro street.

Four and a half inches of rain have fallen this season.

Dr. Wm. A. Winder, of San Diego, is stopping at the St. Charles.

Col. F. M. Slaughter has lost a fine horse by the epileptic.

By to-night entrance money for the races must be paid to the Secretary.

Gold closed yesterday afternoon at 114 1/2 per cent. premium. Currency sold here at 86 1/2.

The steamer Monterey arrived at Santa Monica yesterday with a load of ties for the L. A. & T. R. R.

Rivara & Co. have bought the Bon Ton saloon and re-opened it in first class style.

Mr. Johnson, of the Santa Barbara Press, left for home yesterday on the steamer Albatross.

Messrs. Treanor and Duprez, of San Diego, have arrived in time for the races.

The steamer Monterey, owing to rough weather, lost a fourth of the ties intended for the Los Angeles and Independence Railroad.

The manager of the new theatre to be opened in Stearns' building, says that it is no Bella Union affair, but a first class minstrel troupe.

Mr. H. S. Ledyard, cashier of Temple & Workman's bank, is a passenger by the Orizaba and will arrive in the city to-morrow.

The attention of the powers that be is so called to large sized duck ponds—one on Fort street near Fifth and one on the corner of Fort and Fifth.

Our streets should be lighted. Such dark nights and bad weather even a policeman is liable to get into dangerous localities.

The White House advertises rooms with or without board, and board with or without rooms. It is a first class house, refitted throughout.

The Rev. H. P. McCusick will preach in the German church on Spring St. to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock before the Baptist Society.

Twenty-four hours of dry weather will put the Agricultural Fair track in good condition. From present appearances the Fair will open next Monday.

We have received a complimentary invitation to attend next week's races at Agricultural Park. If the weather is fine we intend to make good use of it.

Riverside is to be blessed with a newspaper, the Riverside weekly News Jesse Buck and Robert Davis being the enterprising individuals who are about to start it.

If the weather is fair Washington Garden will be crowded to-morrow. A grand acrobatic performance, a balloon ascension and a ball are on the programme.

Kevane, Bettis & Co., No. 9 Commercial Bank Building, are doing a large and successful collecting business. They are young, enterprising and reliable men.

Mr. E. E. Fisher requested us to say that he has not purchased Mr. and Mrs. Backman's interest in the Backman House. He has assumed the management of the house for the present preparatory to other arrangements.

The steamer Senator will arrive at Santa Monica about six o'clock this morning. She brings 140 passengers and 175 tons freight. Returning, she will sail for San Francisco on Sunday, on arrival of the morning train at San Pedro and afternoon train at Santa Monica.

We have three beer breweries in Los Angeles and all are experiencing good trade. The quality of the beer made at our Los Angeles breweries is the subject of comment. It is a beautiful amber color, has lively tone, considerable body, making it a most agreeable beverage.

A man was fined yesterday in Judge Gray's Court for whipping his wife, which so aggravated him that he insulted another man's wife and the husband of the lady put a gentle hand on him. The head punching husband immediately went to a Justice's office, pleaded guilty and paid a fine.

The funeral of the late W. G. Porter took place yesterday from Masonic hall, and his remains were followed to the grave by a large number of the Masonic fraternity and personal friends. The deceased was a man of much promise, aged about thirty years, and for some time looked forward to a bright future.

He leaves a brother, who lives in this county, who will attend to settling his estate.

Families and parties desiring dinner served at any hour on Thanksgiving day at the new Fort street, M. E. church between eleven A. M. and seven P. M. can have a reserved table, or reserved seats by giving notice to any of the ladies of the church. Hot roast turkey, chickens etc. will be served during the day. The ladies are seeking turkey enough to serve 400 or 500 persons. No one need think that he will be too late to be served with roast turkey.

Herrmann.

Herrmann appears to-night at Turn-Verein hall, and we hope to see him greeted by a large audience. In his line he is the greatest performer in the world, and Manager Maguire has paid Los Angeles a high compliment to send Prof. Hermann direct from San Francisco for a week's engagement.

His feats are the most astounding, bewildering and inexplicable in legerdemain and he creates a sensation wherever he appears. Go to Turn-Verein hall to-night and see Herrmann's first performance.

COMMON COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The Council met yesterday, Mr. Robinson in the chair. Present, Workman Leamy, Campbell, Lichtenberger, Huber, Sotelo, Mulhally and Robinson. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Mayor reported that he had collected fines \$56. Filed.

The Marshal reported the collection of \$1850 city taxes. Filed.

The City Attorney reported the collection of \$16 back taxes. Filed.

The committee on janjas reported that J. F. Devin be allowed \$100 for changing the janja on Alameda street Filed and the recommendation adopted.

The Board of Public Works recommended an additional assessment on Temple street. Report adopted.

Also reported in favor of the petition of property owners for a particular grade of Third street between Olive and Bunker Hill avenue. Adopted.

Also recommended that the Clerk advertise for proposals for the improvement of Main street. Adopted.

Also in favor of the petition for grading Olive street between Third and Fourth streets. Adopted.

The Finance Committee report favorably on bills of Temple Street Sables, \$14,000, City Company, \$33,750 and Michael Hopkins \$5,000. Adopted.

The special committee on petition of Messrs. Griffin and Hubbell, on horse railroad matters reported in favor of granting proposed petitions. Adopted.

An ordinance granting a franchise for a street railway to John S. Griffin, for 25 years, the road to run from the new depot to East Los Angeles, was read and passed. Messrs. Huber, Sotelo and Mulhally were appointed a committee to see what it would cost to widen the street.

The Committee on Lands reported in regard to conflict in the lines of Buena Vista street and favorably on petition for quit claim deed to C. W. Bush.

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Speak gently! Love doth whisper low the sweetest music that the heart can know—
And gently friendship's accents flow—
Alfred's voice is kind.

Speak gently to the little child! Its love is sure to gain the best—
Teach it in accents soft and mild: It may not long remain.

Speak gently to the young, for they will have enough to bear—
Teach them to be kind and true, they may, 'Tis full of anxious care!

Speak gently to the aged one, Grieve not the heart worn heart—
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When elements were in fierce strife, Said to them, "Peace be still!"

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Dropped in the heart's deep well—
Which in accents soft and mild—
Eternity shall tell.

Teachers' Institute.

FRIDAY.

Friday's session, and the last, opened with prayer by Mr. McCusick, and musical report. After the reading of the minutes, Rev. Geo. W. Hand, formerly Supt. Cincinnati Public Schools, Dr. Hobbs and Dr. Bush were elected honorary members of the body.

The Chairman added to the reception committee Messrs. Morgan, Toombs and Hinkley.

Mr. Burdell read Miss Prescott's and his own criticisms. Although the criticism was interestingly written Messrs. Williams and Warren took exception to some points therein and truth to say sustained their views.

Messrs. McCusick, Hayes, McDonald and Saxton discussed the *Critique* appearing at some length. Mr. Guinn the query-box oracle, being absent, Mr. Kimball was called on and read "a few broken sentences on another subject" than mental Arithmetic; said sentences being combined into a keen thought, not ill adapted for use in the institute proceedings. The ludicrousness of the affair was admirably presented, and a few samples of parhassies set off the whole—several names affording fine opportunities for using this rhetorical figure.

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COURT REPORTS.

District Court.—SEPTUAGINTA, J. FRIDAY, November 19.
Long vs. Thelwell—Findings of fact and conclusions of law for plaintiff ten days' stay.
Dominguez vs. Deaney—Passed informally, to be taken up on motion.
In the matter of the sale of St. Vincent's Cottage property—Petition heard and order granted following sale.
Dominguez vs. Figueroa—In default entered, and decree ordered of as prayed for in the complaint.
Adjourned.

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People vs. Ramon Montalva, alias Ramon Gallego—Grand larceny. Monday at 10 A. M. to plead.
People vs. Reyes Andrade—Grand larceny. Forfeited and have to reappear.
People vs. Henry J. Twomey—Assault and battery under color of office. Monday to plead.
Adjourned until Saturday at 10 A. M.

Probate Court.—O'MELVENY, J. FRIDAY, November 19.
In the matter of the estate of Wm. Olden—Decree showing that due and legal notice to creditors had been given and filed.
Same estate—Order dispensing with regular proceedings and directing summary administration made and filed.
Same estate—Under approving sales of personal property made and filed.
Same estate—Decree of distribution made and filed.
Adjourned.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

Deeds filed for record for the 48 hours ending November 19, 1875, as reported for the Herald by Judson, Gillette & Smith, Examiners of Title, No. 39 Spring street, Los Angeles:

J. Lazarevich and wife to James Matthew—Lots 25, 26, 27 and 28 in block Y, Mount Pleasant Tract; \$500.

O. L. Lutzsch to O. G. Moore—Forty-five acres near Orange; \$200.

M. Frankel, bankrupt, by Myers, Assignee to L. G. Lutzsch—Twenty-five acres in the Santa Gertrudes Rancho, 194,125 feet in the town of Santa Ana, 12,537 feet in same town, with merchandise, fixtures, etc., in the store at Santa Ana; \$200.

